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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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WANTED

WANTED—Live poultry. Erick, Barton. 18tf

WANTED—Fresh eggs and poultry. E. S. Kelley, Orleans. 17tf

WANTED—Four- or six-drawer 3x5 card filing cabinet. Will pay cash. Monitor Office. 42tf

WANTED—Live poultry, inquire of N. W. Strawn at Geo. Litchfield's, Brownington village. 40tf

WORK WANTED—Experienced nurse, Miss Smith, Seaver house, School street, Barton. 41-42p

WANTED—Rodeo Island Red pullets, 15c lb. Empty crops, N. V. delivery. Erick, Barton. 41-44

WANTED—Beer's Atlas of Orleans and Lamoille counties published in 1878. Must be in good condition. Monitor Office. 36tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dry stove wood. Milo J. Owen, Barton. 34tf

FOR SALE—4 weeks old pigs. E. A. Holbrook, Irasburg. 40-42

FOR SALE—My residence on Water street, Barton. E. E. Liddell. 1tf

FOR SALE—Standard bran, \$2.50. Subject confirmation National Feed company, E. L. Graves. 1wp

FOR SALE—P. K. Dedrick horse hay press. Will sell or exchange for stock. S. S. Hill, Barton. 41-43p

FOR SALE—One eight-horsepower Olds gasoline engine nearly new. F. H. Churchill, Orleans. 31tf

Will sell my village residence on East street, Orleans at great bargain if sold within the next two weeks. L. K. Heath. 1w

FOR SALE—Farms, houses and timber lands. Inquire of Barton Real Estate company, Barton, Vt. 20tf

FOR SALE—For want of room am offering a few of my fifty head of registered Ayrshires. B. F. Butterfield, Derby Line. 42-44

FOR SALE—Dry shavings. We have plenty of planer shavings if taken at once, 50 cents a load. E. L. Chandler Co. 30tf

BARGAIN for quick sale: two-and-one-half-story frame dwelling, wood house and barn on lot 300x300 north-west corner North avenue and Highland street Orleans. J. M. Wyman, Orleans, R.F.D. No. 1. 42-51p

FOR SALE—Nine-room house, barn, henhouse and carriage house (1 1/2 acres of highly cultivated land) located at Greensboro Bend, Vt., 1-2 mile from R. R. station, 1-3 mile from church and school. Good running water at house and barn. Apply to F. A. Amsden, Greensboro Bend, Vt. 30tf

FOR SALE—Real estate and personal property. The farm known as the Alden place in Irasburg, 2 1/2 miles from Orleans. Farm consists of 300 acres of choice land. Fine building, large sugar and fruit orchard. Also 30 choice cows, a first-class team and all farming tools. Easy terms. M. M. Taplin and H. E. Merrill. 42-44

TO RENT—Tenement over store. C. A. Nute, Barton. 42tf

FOUND—Bunch of keys. Call at Monitor office. 1w

LOST—between hotel and postoffice at West Burke, letter containing money. Finder will receive reward by leaving at West Burke postoffice or bringing to me. Don Switzer, Westmore. 41-42

MISCELLANEOUS

FIRST-CLASS Plumbing and tin-smithing. Phone 7-6. I. A. McRitchie, South Albany. 29tf

The Proctor Real Estate Co., dealers in farms and village property, etc. Drop us a line, it will bring you a customer. Box 494, Barton. 42-44

Ralph J. Provencal, piano and reed organ tuner, Barton. Estimates on all kinds of work. Will also accept pupils on any brass instruments. 39-47p

POULTRYMEN'S ATTENTION—We manufacture a shipping crate for poultry, called The Peerless "Iron Bound Crate," \$1.00 each, f. o. b. mill. The best crate on the market, almost indestructible, weight less than 25 lbs. The E. L. Chandler Co. Orleans 40tf

Congregational Church Notes.

The missionary meeting will be held in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 26, at 2 o'clock. There will be work.

Lecture Course Tickets.

No premiums, or bids, will be asked for lecture course tickets this season but course ticket holders will select their seats by lot as is the custom in other places. It is important that every ticket be represented at the drawing to be held at the high school room at 7.30 o'clock, Tuesday evening. Remember to be present if you have signed for tickets as all course ticket seats will be drawn and selected that evening. The school entertainment advertised as a number in the course cannot be given on the date advertised in last week's paper but will be given at a later date.

BARTON

Miss Mary Wheeler was in St. Johnsbury Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barrows spent Sunday at Stone pond.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. White were in St. Johnsbury Monday.

G. C. Lang was in White River Junction Friday on business.

Will Buskey and family have gone to East Haven for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Prescott are spending a week in Boston.

Mrs. F. K. Powell has been spending several days in St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. C. A. Barrows was the guest of friends in Newport Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLellan are visiting friends in Rochester, N. H.

Mrs. Elizabeth Butler is spending some time at Ocean Grove, N. J.

Mrs. E. F. Hobson of Newport is assisting in the G. C. Lang store.

Mrs. Eddy has been spending a week at Rev. Milo Eddy's in West Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers of Fitzdale visited Mrs. C. C. W. Heath Sunday.

The Afternoon Study club meets with Mrs. W. M. Wright Thursday, Oct. 21.

Miss Winifred Elkins of North Troy has been visiting at W. W. Reid's.

C. B. Webster is in Rutland attending a meeting of fire insurance agents.

Regular meeting of Orient Chapter, No. 13, O. E. S., Friday evening at 7.30.

Ira Wilkie and family of St. Johnsbury were guests at A. Wilkie's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Erwin and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Bradford.

James D. Fifield of Newport spent the past week with his brother, F. S. Fifield.

Mrs. Nancy Simpson has been visiting friends in St. Johnsbury for two weeks.

C. L. Hutchins has opened a jewelry and repair store in the F. E. Nelson block.

F. D. Thompson has been confined to the house the past week on account of illness.

James Patterson of Craftsbury has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Zuar Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Cutler were in Barre Monday.

Miss Matie Phillips is enjoying a vacation at the home of her parents in Sheffield.

Mrs. Ina Robinson is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Leduec, in Lyndonville.

Miss Elvira Daggett of Littleton, N. H. was the guest of friends in town last week.

J. W. Batchelder has gone to East Burke, where he has employment for the winter.

George Merriam has been assisting in the C. A. Barrows & Son store the past week.

Mrs. J. M. Shea of Littleton, N. H., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McFarland and daughter, Ruth, are visiting relatives in Hardwick.

The Bell Telephone company have recently installed a public pay station in the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Pond of Jeffersonville visited their sister, Miss Mary Smith, Sunday.

C. S. Webster and daughter, Marjery, visited friends in North Troy the last of the week.

Robert Harper of Craftsbury has moved into the house recently vacated by H. A. Corrow.

Miss Vera Webster of Lebanon, N. H., spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Webster.

Miss Florence LaMoureux and Miss Alma Valley went to Westfield Monday to remain for a time.

George Cook of Woodstock, N. H., called upon his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cook Sunday.

Varnum Abbott and Miss Blanche Stevens of Lyndonville spent Sunday at Albert Abbott's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Croft and son of Barre were guests at G. C. Lang's Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Bean of St. Johnsbury were guests at E. J. White's Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mamie Connolly has gone to Lyndonville and St. Johnsbury to visit relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. Alice Chamberlin and Miss Mary Smith leave today for Boston, where they will visit friends.

A. E. Copeland, who has been working in Pike, N. H., for the past five weeks, has returned to his home here.

County Agricultural Association Meeting

Second Annual Meeting Attended by 450 at Irasburg on Friday

Agent Deuel's Report in Full. Farmers' Tour to Burlington on Friday and Saturday.

The annual meeting held at Irasburg Friday, Oct. 15th, attracted over 450 people. The hall was filled, and quite a number were standing. The speakers gave very interesting talks on the work of the association and the county agent's work in general. A fine dinner was served by the Irasburg Grange. A great deal of interest was shown by those in attendance and judging from all appearances the association is just beginning to exert the influence on the agriculture of the county which it should because the farmers are realizing that there is something to be done on their part to get the greatest benefit from the organization.

Mr. Deuel said: The Orleans County Agricultural association is today celebrating its second birthday as an active organization. Last year the county agent presented in his report, the results of his observations during the summer and his plans for the future but little had been accomplished in the way of showing results. This year the county agent presents his report with a degree of satisfaction that something has really been accomplished, and an even clearer vision of the future lies before us. Today the organization stands firmer, better organized and is rendering, we believe, a real service to the farmers of Orleans county who make any attempt to use it.

Since the last annual meeting the county agent has made 681 farm visits, visited 352 farms, had 233 office calls, 1004 telephone calls, written 714 letters, sent out 6556 circular letters, held 124 meetings, attendance 3507, traveled 9235 miles. These figures give some idea of the work of the county agent in a general way and you can readily see that an attempt has been made to put the organization and its work before the agricultural public.

Last year the county agent presented a plan of work for the year which was taken up under the following heads: Demonstrations, farm management survey, local organizations and meetings in towns, organizations of cow testing associations, farmer's exchange and co-operative buying and selling.

The county agent is pleased to report that something has been accomplished in each of the above mentioned lines of work and while some have exceeded expectations, others have fallen short but we believe there is to be a remedy which will make it possible to report satisfactory progress in all of the lines of work before another annual meeting.

The demonstration work has occupied a very large part of the county agent's time since April first, overseeing and watching the development of the various methods put into practice. Considerable time was taken up in the planning and placing of the demonstrations. The first work in this line was a series of demonstrations of home mixing of chemicals which were purchased through the co-operative organization of the association. These demonstration gatherings were fairly well attended by the purchasers and as the goods were received in good condition the work of mixing was a very simple matter compared to what many imagined it would be. This gave each purchaser an opportunity to go over his bill of goods with the county agent to make sure that it was correct for the purpose for which it was to be used and to clear up any hazy spots in the work.

Next came the orchard work. Several pruning and spraying demonstrations were held which were well attended. Methods of pruning were demonstrated and every farmer was given an opportunity to do some actual pruning and spraying. We know how to do it when he should begin work on his own trees. As it was possible to have an assistant to assist with this work twenty-five orchards were sprayed twice during the months of May and June to show the effect upon insect pests and the quality of the fruit. The demonstrations did not show up as effectively as they would have most any other season because of the scarcity of caterpillars and the late frosts which killed the blossoms so that the apple crop is almost a minus quantity this year, but nevertheless, the results of pruning and spraying have shown up favorably as indicated by the color and vigor of the trees. The work on these trees should show up in good shape next year so the work need not be considered lost and other orchards will be pruned and sprayed during the spring of 1916 from which the farmers may draw their own conclusions.

The orchard management problem needs some consideration from the association as the condition in the

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W. J. Monteith is repairing his buildings.

Mrs. L. A. Drown has returned from St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. D. H. Randall has gone to Massachusetts for a few days.

Jos. Waterman has made quite extensive repairs on his buildings.

Jos. Hamel is moving into the tenement vacated by John Collins.

John Collins has moved to Orleans and works for Chandler company.

Frank Lapiere has moved to the place recently bought of William King.

George and Roy Bickford have sold their farm and have rented Frank Lapiere's house and moved in.

The ladies of the church will hold a supper and social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Gray Friday evening, Oct. 29. Everybody is cordially invited. Ladies please furnish for table as usual.

The finance committee wish to thank all who helped toward the harvest supper, Oct. 29. Everybody is cordially invited. Ladies please furnish for table as usual. The net proceeds of the supper were \$9.15.

COVENTRY

Miss Etta Litchfield has returned home.

Mrs. C. T. Chapman is in very poor health.

H. J. Frazier has been ill with a stomach and liver trouble.

Mrs. Eben Stevens and Mrs. Carroll Rickford have been visiting in Sheffield.

Mr. Mansfield, who purchased E. L. Batchelder's farm, took possession last week.

The Needle-book club will meet with Mrs. H. W. Wilder next Friday afternoon.

Mr. Labar of Del Water Gap, Pa., has been in town on Christmas tree business.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Perry, Thursday. Congratulations.

Earl Metcalf has finished work for G. J. Benware and has gone to Newport to work.

Henry Harvey and sister, Abbie, of Irasburg are guests of their sister, Mrs. C. S. Boynton.

Mrs. Hinman has moved her millinery goods from W. R. Thurber's to Mrs. Esther Hancock's.

Miss Lottie Elliott was the delegate from this place to the Sunday School convention at Richmond.

W. R. Shippee went to Waterbury, Sunday with his cousin Miss M. Deane of Montreal, who has been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richmond, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Deuel and child of Newport were guests at H. H. Cleveland's, Thursday, in honor of Mr. Cleveland's 74th birthday.

Tuesday evening, Oct. 19th, a surprise visit was given Lewis Monro by his children in honor of his 50th birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winget and family of Irasburg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parlin and daughter of Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. James Labell, Miss Myra Douglas and N. L. Labell of this place.

HOLLAND

The reopening and 95th anniversary of the Holland M. E. Church, Oct. 16, 17, were eventful days in the history of the M. E. Church. Both days were given to the reopening exercises of the church. Both days were perfect and the people came from far and near and a full house greeted all the exercises. The exercises were very impressive and will long be remembered by the Holland people. The church was repaired at an expense of \$534, all of which has been raised. Special notice was given to the beautiful altar given by Mrs. Carrie Rodey of Derby Line, in memory of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fletcher, Mrs. Alice Burke of Burke, gave two beautiful plates in memory of her mother, Anna Fletcher Clark, a bible was given by the Moulton family, and an altar rail by the young people. A beautiful dinner was served to all at the hall, Saturday, and a picnic lunch Sunday. The church is now one of the prettiest churches around for miles, and the people of Holland are to be congratulated on their wonderful work in bringing to a success this beautifying of their church.

GLOVER

Albert Merriam's little son